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Applicant	:	Achim Menne	
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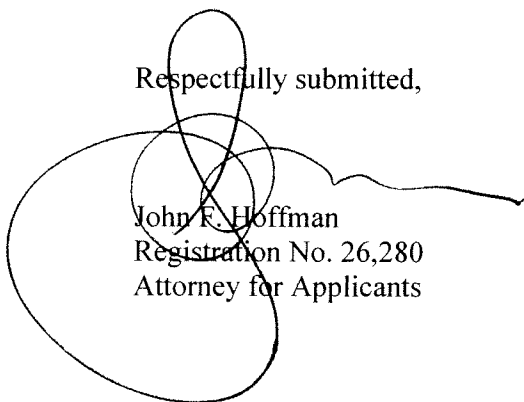
LETTER

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance of October 21, 2009, Applicant would like to bring to the attention of the Examiner that the Notice of Allowability (PTOL-37) indicates claims 1-33 and 35-37 are allowed. In reviewing the file it is noted that claims 1-17 are canceled.

Respectfully submitted,



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